

A portable telephone set, which is capable of being carried by the user by being hooked on the belt of a user by a belt chip. The belt chip collapses into the body of the telephone set so that it does not form an obstacle for the user when he or she uses the telephone set.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1-3 by rewriting same to read as follows.

--1. (Amended) A portable telephone set comprising:

a portable telephone set body;

a holding member attached to said portable telephone set body to support said portable telephone set by hooking on a user's belt, wherein said holding member is attached movably to said portable telephone set body and stored in a storage portion of said portable telephone set body when said holding member is not used.

--2. (Amended) The portable telephone set according to claim 1, wherein, in a state that said holding member is stored in said storage portion, a front face of said holding member is at a same level as a rear face of said telephone set body and said holding member comprises a portion of an outer shape of said portable telephone set body.

--3. (Amended) The portable telephone set according to claim 1, further comprising an engagement mechanism disposed to hold and